

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

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Ethylmagnesium Bromide, typ. 40 % solution in 2-Methyl-THF (typ. 3.4 M)



CAS-No.	925-90-6
EC-No.	213-127-3
REACH No.	01-2120065578-44-0000
Molecular formula	C ₂ H ₅ BrMg
Product number	10000284, 10000285, 10000964, 10001674, 10001675, 10002068, 10002172

APPLICATION

Grignard-reactions: reagent is used for the introduction of the ethyl group; metalation of CH-acidic compounds.

SPECIFICATION

Ethylmagnesium Bromide: 39.0 - 41.0 %

METHOD OF ANALYSIS

Determination of assay as total base by acidimetric titration after hydrolysis; detailed description available on request.

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PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	liquid
Color	yellow to dark brown
Crystallization temperature	< -10 °C
Flash point	-10 °C (2-Methyltetrahydrofuran)
Boiling point/boiling range	78 °C (2-Methyltetrahydrofuran)
Density	ca. 1.14 g/cm ³ at 25 °C
Water solubility	(Not applicable)
Molecular weight	133.27 g/mol
Thermal Stability	crystallisation below -10 °C

HANDLING & STORAGE

Handling	Ethylmagnesium Bromide should only be handled under inert gas atmosphere. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothes as well as inhalation. Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors. Flash back possible over considerable distance. Use only explosion-proof equipment. Take measures against electrostatic discharges. Protect from frost, heat and sunlight. Never add water, acids or oxidizing materials. In case of fire use dry extinguishers based on sodium chloride or limestone powder, never use water or CO ₂ . Pay attention to the Safety Data Sheet - Section 7.
Storage	Ethylmagnesium Bromide should be stored in tightly closed containers under exclusion of air and humidity. When stored according to SDS the material is fairly stable. We still recommend to retest the material 12 months after date of analysis if included on CoA. If not included, use the date of manufacturing for the calculation.

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TRANSPORT & PACKAGING

UN number 3399

ADR	Class: 4.3	PG: I	Label: 4.3 (3)
RID	Class: 4.3	PG: I	Label: 4.3 (3)
IMDG	Class: 4.3	PG: I	Label: 4.3 (3)
IATA_C	Class: 4.3	PG: I	Packing instruction (cargo aircraft): 494
IATA_P	Class: 4.3	PG: I	

Hazard pictograms



Signal Word Danger

H&P Phrases See Safety Data Sheet

Labelling The labelling is according to EU-GHS classification ((EG) 1272/2008) and may vary in other countries. Please refer to the respective Safety Data Sheet for your country.

Packaging

Glass bottle 1,000 mL. Steel bottles with volumes of 7.4, 27, 127 or 450 L. For safety reasons these are filled to a maximum of 90 %. Steel drums 30 and 200 L.

OTHER INFORMATION

Further Related Documents Safety Data Sheet

Our brochure(s) Organomagnesium Compounds

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